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| <b>Title:</b>            | COMBINATION CHEMOTHERAPY WITH CHLOROTOXIN |                          |                     |

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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

In response to the Office Action mailed December 7, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the following amendments and remarks. A statutory time period for reply was set to expire on March 7, 2008. Applicant hereby requests a three (3) month extension of time extending the time for reply to and including June 7, 2008. June 7, 2008 falls on a Saturday. Therefore, Applicant respectfully submits that the filing of this response on Monday, June 9, 2008 is timely.

In response to the Office Action, Applicant requests entrance of the following Amendment and consideration of the following Remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

The present Amendment is believed to be in compliance with the Revised Amendment Format published in the Federal Register on June 30, 2003 (68 FC 38611), and therefore to be exempt from the requirement of 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(a)-(d).

